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Attn: Ms. Dorethea Allen

Thursday, 02 September 2010

**Re: Patent 6524308 (serial number 09/508045)
2nd maintenance fee due on 25 August 2010**

**Deposit Account 04-0750
Additional payment**

Dear Ms Allen

Reference is made to our 08th year fee payment of \$ 1240.00 on 25 August 2010.

We have now been advised by our client that **LARGE entity status applies.**

We, therefore, would like to request you to take an additional payment in the amount of \$ **1240.00** to our deposit account number 04-0750.

Enclosed, we are sending a copy of a declaration from the Assignee confirming a large entity status. We kindly ask you to update your record accordingly.

We thank you in advance for your assistance and remain.

Very yours truly
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Mrs Gillian Gascoigne

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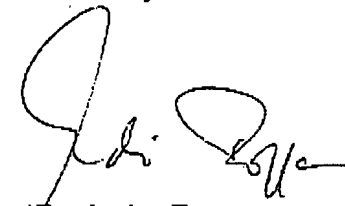
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

We hereby declare that **Celon AG medical instruments** is a large entity according to the USPTO standard.

We request that the maintenance fee be paid at the large entity tariff.

Sincerely

Teltow, 1.3.2010



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